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Titl	le :	APPARATUS AND METHOD	FOR REDUCING PRECISION OF DATA				
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AD	DRESS TO: Assistan	t Commissioner for Patents					
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	Washing	ton, D.C. 20231	Date: December 11, 2000				
1.	X FEE TRANS	MITTAL FORM (Submit an or	iginal, and a duplicate for fee processing).				
2.	IF A CONTINUING	APPLICATION					
	This application is a of patent application No						
	Prior application information: Examiner; Group Art Unit:						
	X This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4), to provisional Application No. 60/170,156, filed December 10, 1999.						
3.	APPLICATION COMPRISED OF						
	Specification						
	47 Specificat	tion, claims and Abstract (total p	ages)				
	Drawings 18 Sheets of drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 17)						
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4.	Microfiche	Computer Program (Appendix))				
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7. ALSO ENCLOSED ARE

____ Preliminary Amendment

6. APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27

Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL

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	A Petition for Extension of Time for the parent application and the required fee are enclosed as separate papers
	An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed as separate papers
	This application is owned by pursuant to an Assignment recorded at Reel, Frame Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
	Certified copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) English Translation Document (if applicable)
<u>X</u>	Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized). Other
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Title : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR REDUCING PRECISION OF DATA

FEE DETERMINATION

CLAIMS AS FILED									
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	FEE				
TOTAL CLAIMS	36 – 20	16	x \$9.00	16 x \$18.00	\$288.00				
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5 - 3	2	х \$40.00	2 x \$80.00	\$160.00				
MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT	\$135.00	\$270.00							
BASIC FEE	\$355.00	\$710.00	\$710.00						
	TOTAL FILING FEE		\$1,158.00						
List Independent Claims: 1, 21, 31, 33 and 34									

METHOD OF PAYMENT

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **entire pendency** of the application to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A **duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed**.

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